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to me

Dear Requester,

FDA received your request regarding Dr. Ned Sharpless and travel/gift disclosures. The records you are seeking belong to the Department of Health and Human Services. We are referring your request to that agency for direct response to you. Contact information for the HHS FOIA Office is at:

<https://www.hhs.gov/foia/contacts/index.html>

Please contact me directly if you have any questions at 301-796-8976 or Sarah.Kotler@fda.hhs.gov. You may also contact the FDA FOIA Public Liaison, Office of the

Executive Secretariat, 5630 Fishers Lane, Room 1050, Rockville, MD 20857; email:  
[FDAFOIA@fda.hhs.gov](mailto:FDAFOIA@fda.hhs.gov).

Sincerely,

**Sarah B. Kotler, J.D.**

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